Statement-II

Stations which are still to be improved during the remaining period of Seventh Five Year Plan

S.No.	Name of the Station	S.No.	Name of the Station
1	Ponneri	21	Coimbatore
2	Kanchipuram	22	Pettavaithalai
3	Madras Central	23	Tiruppur
4	Avadi	24	Erode
5	Korattur	25	Coimbatore North
6	Korattur Halt	26	Pugalur
7	Mambalam	27	Lalgudi
8	Perambur	28	Muthupet
9	Perumalpet	29	Tiruchchirappalli Jn.
10	Katpadi	30	Vellore Cantt.
11	Jolapettai	31	Tiruchchirappalli Goods Yard
12	Wimconagar	32	Villupuram
13	Ennore	33	Srirangam
14	Madras Egmore	34	Madurai
15	Ambattur	35	Tenkasi
16	Trivellore	36	Thirumangalam
17	Madras Fort	37	Pudukkottai
18	Tiruvettiyur	38	Ramanathapuram
19	Annanur	39	Tirunelveli
20	Hindu College.		

Lack of Passenger Amenities in private buses operating on D.T.C. Routes

972. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of buses, with highly dilapidated and broken bodies, without essential facilities and appliances, missing or broken seats, handle-rods, footboards and extremely dirty upholstry, have come on roads under DTC operation, following the last DTC employees' strike;

(b) if so, what is the number of such buses that have been inducted during or after the strike; and

(c) what steps have been taken to provide essential passenger amenities on these buses?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) No. Sir. Operation of buses on road is permissible on fulfilment of the condition of vehicle inspection certificates issued by the State Transport Authority.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.